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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2874**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akira MIYAMAE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2874

Application No.: 10/730,105

Examiner: S. SONG

Filed: December 9, 2003

Docket No.: 117770

For: OPTICAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the November 1, 2005 Office Action, reconsideration of pending claims

1-4 and 6-17 is respectfully requested at least in light of the following remarks.